

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 07 Jul 2023 until 23:59 on Saturday 08 Jul 2023

Forecast Issued on Friday 07 Jul 2023 at 03:08

Confidence: High for weather turning warmer and drier on Friday. Lower confidence for details and timing of rain and stronger winds arriving from the west into Saturday.

Headline for Friday 07 Jul 2023: Another breezy day, staying fine and generally dry with plenty of warm sunshine.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 07 Jul 2023

Blizzards

No Likelihood

Gales

No Likelihood

Thunderstorms

No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow

No Likelihood

Severe chill effect

No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain

No Likelihood

Storm force winds

No Likelihood

Poor visibility

Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight

High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
					
Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
10%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%

Forecast for Friday 07 Jul 2023

Weather: Patchy cloud to start, thickest in the west of the range with the risk of odd spot of rain, however cloud increasingly clearing through the morning to leave a dry and bright day with plenty of prolonged sunshine. It will feel warmer than of late, though still breezy, particularly in the west.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 40%, increasing to greater than 95% by late morning.

Low cloud and visibility: Patchy low cloud covering some slopes and summits above 400-500m during the morning, particularly in the west. However this should lift and clear quickly into the morning, leaving a day of little cloud above all summits. Good visibility with excellent clarity for viewpoints by the afternoon, but perhaps briefly moderate to poor in any early low cloud.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)				Wind Direction (blowing from)		
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	22/27 S	22/28 S	19/26 S	19/26 S	19/24 S	19/28 SE	23/34 SE
300	11/22 S	11/21 S	12/23 S	11/22 S	10/20 S	12/27 SE	13/29 SE
Valley	8/19 S	8/17 S	11/21 S	10/21 S	7/17 SE	9/25 SE	9/24 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	12/8	13/10	17/13	19/14	19/15	18/14	18/12
300	14/12	17/16	21/18	22/20	21/19	19/16	19/16
Valley	15/14	18/17	22/20	23/21	22/21	19/17	18/17
Freezing Level*	3000m	2900m	3000m	2800m	2800m	2900m	3000m

*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

Meteorologist's View

Strong sunshine, high UV levels and some warm afternoon temperatures expected when the cloud clears. Sun protection and sufficient water recommended.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
02:00 on Fri 07 Jul 2023	2.2mm	2.8mm	6.8mm

Forecast for Saturday 08 Jul 2023

Weather: Cloud will thicken overnight before outbreaks of locally heavy rain will move north-eastwards through the morning. Some persistent downpours likely for a time with hail, thunder and gusty conditions possible. Largely clearing by the afternoon though a risk of the odd heavy shower continues. Winds strengthening through the morning, though easing again by late afternoon.

Maximum wind: Southerly 25-30mph, gusting 35-45mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: 30%, rising to 80-90%.

Low cloud and visibility: Low cloud and poor visibility in association with heavy showery outbreaks during the morning. Cloud bases will lift once this clears, though there remains a risk of bases temporarily dropping in isolated heavy showers during the afternoon. Good visibility outside of showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 15 Celsius rising to plus 25 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 14 Celsius rising to plus 20 Celsius.
Freezing level: Well above all summits.